

**Subject: Inequities in assignment of budget cuts of State Services for disabled persons.**

**My son, a client of San Diego Regional Center, is receiving live-in services. He lives with 3 other DD persons in a board and care home in El Cajon, CA.**

**It has come to my attention that his direct care provider experienced a 3% reduction in payment for services, last year and has now has been notified of an additional 1.25% reduction, totaling 4.25% reduction.**

**I believe there have been no increases in the last 10 years.**

**I ask: Has any San Diego Regional Center employee experienced a salary cut, due to budget adjustments, in the last 10 years?**

**I would like to know if the above is true.**

**What change can be made toward NOT treating disabled persons as inferior compared to State employees?**

**I ask this in reference to the Human Services Joint Oversight Hearing scheduled for tomorrow, Nov. 4, 2010.**

**Thanks for you help**

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